UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

JIMMY FLOYD, Individually and On Behalf Of Other Persons Similarly Situated,

Plaintiffs,

- against -

DOUBLEDAY a/k/a DOUBLEDAY & COMPANY, INC., a/k/a DOUBLEDAY, DIVISION OF RANDOM HOUSE INC., NAN A. TALESE/DOUBLEDAY, ANCHOR BOOKS, KNOPF PUBLISHING GROUP, INC., RANDOM HOUSE, INC., NAN A. TALESE, JAMES FREY, KASSIE EVASHEVSKI and SEAN MCDONALD,

Defendants.

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STIPULATION AND ORDER

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WHEREAS, the above-captioned action is one of eleven actions pending in federal courts across the country that arises out of the publishing and marketing of the book "A Million Little Pieces" (the "Book"), written by defendant James Frey (the "AMLP Actions") and that on February 23, 2006 defendant Random House, Inc. ("Random House") filed with the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation ("JPML") a motion to transfer and consolidate the AMLP Actions for coordinated pretrial proceedings (the "MDL Motion");

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the parties[1] through their undersigned counsel, that in light of the MDL Motion and in order to preserve the resources

[1] In addition to defendants Random House and James Frey, the complaint purports to name as defendants "Doubleday a/k/a Doubleday & Company, Inc., a/k/a Doubleday, Division of Random House Inc.", "Nan A. Talese/Doubleday", "Anchor Books" and "Knopf Publishing Group, Inc.", none of which are separate corporate entities. Doubleday and Anchor Books are divisions of Random House, Inc. Defendant Random House will move at the appropriate time to

of the Court and litigants and avoid inconsistent pretrial rulings in the AMLP Actions, all proceedings in the above-captioned action shall be stayed pending a final determination of the MDL Motion.

Dated: New York, New York
March 1, 2006

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